

It'll be cracked in a week, two weeks tops. All you'll have managed to do is inconvenience the pirates for a ridiculously short period of time while aggravating the thousands of legitimate users of an already installed technology by making their multiple-thousand dollar purchases obsolete.

TV is recordable. The industry may not like it but it's too late to change now. Simply put, if they don't want something recorded off broadcast for future home use (a completely legal practice) then they shouldn't be broadcasting it in the first place. Punishing consumers by making an ineffective stab at copy protection will simply send them away from the technology you're trying to promote in the first place.

Analog tv is good enough for many, many people. 90% of people, in fact, possibly more. When I get a fancy large-screen plasma hi-def tv, I'd like to use it for more than an input device for DVDs and gaming consoles, but I won't be too saddened if I can't. Being able to count the laces on a football in flight during the big game just isn't that important to me.